

## THE BOURBON NEWS.

SWIFT CHAMP, - EDITOR AND OWNER.

## SENATOR HANNA DEAD.

Special to THE NEWS.

WASHINGTON, D. C. FEB. 15, 1904, 6:05 P. M.—Senator Marcus A. Hanna died at 6.44. Passed away peacefully and quietly. Wife not able to be at his bedside.

## Dollar Wheat.

Wheat is quoted in Paris this morning at \$1.00, and flour at \$6.00 per barrel.

SHOES AT LOW PRICES.—Our \$2.50 shoes now at \$1.98. HARRY SIMON.

BROKE HIS ARM.—Capt. W. H. Cox, formerly of this city, slipped and fell upon the street in St. Louis a few days ago and broke his arm.

GENTLEMEN.—If you want a strictly Waterproof shoe, we have them.

12-4t THOMPSON.

DIPHTHERIA.—The five-year-old son of Prof. J. W. Lawhorn has diphtheria. The professor is now quarantined at his residence, on West Second street.

FREE.—Free coffee for the next few days. "LITTLE COOK," C. P. Cook & Co.

LEGAL HOLIDAY.—The Postoffice Department has announced that all rural free delivery letter carriers will have a holiday Feb. 22, Washington's birthday.

LOST.—Setter pup, male, about two-thirds grown, black on head, ears and rump. Answers to name of "Doc." \$5 reward for return of same to this office.

FARM PURCHASED.—Mr. T. J. Craycraft, of this county, has purchased a 145-acre farm of Mr. O. L. Ballenger, near Lair, at \$85 per acre, cash. Mr. Craycraft will take possession March 1.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.—In the Circuit Court, at Lexington Saturday afternoon, John Webb filed suit for divorce against his wife, Jennie C. Webb, on the grounds of five years' separation.

EPIDEMIC OF MEASLES.—An epidemic of measles prevails in the Clintonville precinct. The families of Ben Stipp, Tom Gorman and Bunt Buckhanan are down with them.

LEXINGTON STEAM LAUNDRY.—Try the Lexington Steam Laundry. Satisfaction guaranteed.

12-2t JAS. ARKLE, Agent.

FATHER OFFERS REWARD.—I. C. Rucker, of Paint Lick, has offered \$200 additional reward for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of his son, W. B. Rucker, at Danville. This puts the total amount up to \$1,500.

CANVAS.—Tobacco canvas, best grades 2½ to 3 cents.

FREEMAN &amp; FREEMAN.

FELL DOWN STAIRS.—Mrs. Shelton McDonald, of near Ansterlitz, this county, met with a serious accident Saturday, falling down stairs, breaking her collar bone and otherwise internally injured. She is 75 years of age.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.—Fourteen cottages at White Sulphur, Ky., a summer resort in Bath county, owned by Wm. Clayton, together with their contents, were destroyed by fire Friday. The loss is about \$5,000, with no insurance.

NOT THE AUTHOR.—The Judicial Redistricting bill now before the Legislature is not Hon. A. S. Thompson's bill, as published by several papers, but is a bill of Senator Sublett's. This is the bill putting Breathitt county in a new district.

"BEN-HUR."—Large crowds from this city will take advantage of the opportunity offered by Manager Scott, of Lexington, of witnessing "Ben-Hur" in Lexington Opera House, on Feb. 22, 23 and 24, with special matinee on Wednesday, Feb. 24. Sale of seats will be opened on Thursday morning, Feb. 18.

IMPROVING RAPIDLY.—Ben Kenney, the noted trotting horse trainer, who was thrown from his sulky last season and seriously hurt, is rapidly improving and could get along without the aid of crutches but is taking no chances. He hopes to begin active work by the early summer. Ben is an old Bourbon boy and his many friends will be glad to learn he will be able to face the "starter" again.

LOST.—Fox Terrier, half head black. Answers to name of "Mack." Any information in regard to same will be rewarded. Apply to

GOOSEY &amp; JOHNSON'S POOL ROOM.

FRESH FRUITS.—I have always on hand the choicest line of fresh California Fruits. Store open day and night. Phone 562.

J. E. CRAVEN.

SEVERELY BURNED.—Eddie, the little afflicted son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Crawford, met with a very painful accident Saturday. He took a bottle of nitric acid from his father's stand in the barber shop and before anyone noticed him he was screaming from pain, having emptied the contents upon his arms and lower limbs. He was severely burned but is getting along nicely. Mr. Crawford uses the acid in taking warts off of his customers' faces.

## A Few Important Questions.

Below we ask a few important questions that our citizens would be glad to have answered, as it is to their welfare that action should be taken in regard to some of them. It may take a prophet to answer several of them, anyway we would like to have them answered for the good of a suffering public:

When is Mayor Perry going to appoint the Library Commissioners?

When is the Fiscal Court (according to law) going to publish the County Treasurer's report for 1903?

When is Contractor Gibson to return and resume work on the Court House?

When is the Interurban (according to agreement with the County Court) going to extend their line to the Court House?

Who is chief of the Paris Fire Department since Walter Davis resigned?

Who is driver of the hose wagon of the Fire Department since George Davis resigned?

When will the Elks' building be completed?

How long will it be before Main street is blocked by the material to build the Elks' building?

There might be one or two hard ones in the bunch but as "How Old is Ann?" has been figured out we have hopes of receiving answers.

HEMP SEED.—Best Cultivated Kentucky River Bottom Hemp Seed for sale. Time of payment to suit purchaser. Will contract for the new growing hemp crop. E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

## A Flourishing Home Industry.

The Paris Milling Company, of this city, is one of our flourishing home industries that our citizens should appreciate by their patronage. This enterprising company, under the able management of Br. Brink Renick, has grown until now it is compelled to run day and night to keep up with the daily increasing orders. Mr. Renick has just received the contract to furnish flour and meal to the Frankfort Penitentiary for the next six months over five other competitors. He informs us that the contract for the erection of a steel storage elevator, with capacity of 80,000 bushels, has been let to Chas. Hagenwald Co., of New Albany, Indiana.

The Paris Milling Company has an up-to-date plant, and there is no flour or meal superior to that turned out by this company.

This thriving firm will for the present pay \$1 per bushel for wheat. The farmers who have been praying for dollar wheat can now load up and bring all they have on hand to the Paris Milling Co. and find that your prayers have been answered.

NICE THINGS FOR LENT.—I have a fresh stock of Mackerel, Cod Fish, Fresh Fish, Oysters, Eggs, etc., etc. In fact, I have the freshest stock of groceries in Paris. Phone 376. WM. SAUER.

AT COST.—All Dry Goods going at cost. FREEMAN & FREEMAN.

## Whose Fault Is It?

We do not know whether it is the fault of the city or the interurban road, but we do know that the condition of Main street from Fourteenth street to the Midland crossing is in such a miserable condition that travel in any kind of a vehicle is almost impossible, and pedestrians cannot find the crossings for the mud. In fact, South Main street looks like an old time mud lane. Some one is to blame for this condition of affairs and from what we can hear if the street is not put in better condition at once, the matter will be referred to the grand jury at the March term of the Circuit Court, then maybe we can find where the fault is. A few dollars spent now might save somebody from paying a big fine.

I HAVE taken the agency for the M. & N. Laundry, of Lexington, and solicit a share of the trade. Office at Parker & James'. Both 'Phones 190.

TEDDY MACKAY.

## A Good Climber and Jumper.

Clarence Green was jailed Friday by Policeman Bishop for cutting with intent to kill Golden Renfrow. While cleaning up the jail Saturday morning, the door that leads into the jail yard was left open while the turnkey went to the celler for a bucket of coal. In his absence Clarence Green goes into the yard, climbs the guttering to the roof of the jail, jumps to the roof of the veranda and then jumps to the ground and bids the jailer good-day.

Green was caught yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff Burke and Jailer Judy, on Col. E. F. Clay's farm.

BIG SALE.—Don't fail to attend the big sale of land, mules, horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, farming implements, etc., of Mr. Thos. McClintock, near Millersburg, on February 24.

## Burglar Arrested.

Constable Joe Williams arrested Mason Talbott, Saturday, on charge of burglary. "Squire Howell, acting as judge pro tem, held his examining trial in the afternoon and was held to the Circuit Court under \$500 bond. He is charged with the burglary of the residence of Mrs. Bird, on Eighth street, which occurred some time ago.

John Johnson, a Millersburg gentleman of color, was also tried Saturday, on charge of petit larceny, and given 30 days in jail.

## PERSONAL MENTION

—Matt Thornton, of Cincinnati, was in the city Sunday.

—Mr. Garrett Kenney and wife arrived last week from Texas.

—Miss Matilda Alexander is ill with the measles in Covington.

—Judge Jere R. Morton, of Lexington, is quite ill with gripple.

—F. R. Armstrong and family will move to Lexington this week.

—Joe Ewalt, of Georgia, is here visiting his father, Mr. Sam Ewalt.

—Mr. John Gass leaves to-morrow to visit his sister, at Gallatin, Tenn.

—Mrs. W. H. Whaley is quite ill at the residence of Geo. Leeds on East Main.

—Miss Celeste Lucas, of Covington, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lucas.

—Mr. Harry Noonan, of the Continental line, is the guest of Mr. Tom Wilmoth.

—C. N. Peddicord left Saturday night for New Orleans, to take in the Mardi Gras.

—Miss Catherine Tanner, of Georgetown, visited friends here from Saturday to Monday.

—Mrs. C. W. Fothergill is able to be up, after being confined to her bed for several weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stout, of Lexington, were guests Sunday of Miss Elizabeth Stuart Carter.

—Miss Sophia Ewalt left Saturday for Dayton, O., to take a position in a wholesale millinery house.

—The Bourbon Cotillon Club will entertain Friday night. First Regiment Band will furnish the music.

—Mrs. Alice Gillispie and son, of Carlisle, are visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. W. Myers, on Mt. Airy avenue.

—Miss Lizzie Walker spent from Friday to Monday with her sister, Mrs. George Nippert, in Cincinnati.

—Mr. and Mrs. Phil Nippert are home from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nippert, at Arlington Heights, Cincinnati.

—Mr. J. T. Hinton, Sr., left to-day for Frankfort, where he has been summoned as juror on the United States Grand Jury.

—Mrs. H. J. Booth returned last evening from Chicago, where she has been for several weeks with her daughter, Miss Bessie.

—J. T. Hinton, Jr., was last week elected Grand Guide at the Grand Lodge meeting of the A. O. U. W. lodge, at Louisville.

—As we go to press the Jolly Fellows' German Club are enjoying a delightful cotillon at Odd Fellows' Hall. Further notice will be given next issue.

—Mrs. D. C. Parrish has been quite ill for several days is some better. Her two grand-children, who are with her from New York, have the whooping cough.

—Mrs. Thomas Henry Clay and Mrs. Frederick Wallis were in Lexington, Friday, to meet Mr. Wallis, who arrived from New York. After a short stay with Mr. and Mrs. Clay, in this city, Mr. and Mrs. Wallis will go to Hopkinsville for a visit to Mr. Wallis' relatives.

—Little Mary Craig Hayden entertained her Mission Band with a heart valentine party, on Friday afternoon. After the regular exercises the children enjoyed games, among them being one of shooting cupid in the heart, each child being blindfolded when aiming at the target. Gay Mansfield won the prize, a large candy heart. Refreshments of orange sherbet, fancy heart-shaped cakes and heart-shaped mints with a motto on each were served. Each child was presented a heart-shaped valentine as a souvenir of the occasion.

SHOES.—Ladies' \$3.50 and \$4 patent kid and patent colt shoes, reduced to \$3, at Thomsons.

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EVERYBODY TRY IT.—It has been demonstrated to the housekeepers of Paris that they can buy a high-grade roasted Coffee at a reasonable price, and that is the reason why a large majority of them use "Bourbon" Roasted Coffee in three pound red sacks. If you have not tried it don't forget to order it from your grocer the next time you order Coffee.

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## A Good Old Age.

Mr. Andy W. Wright, of near this city, will celebrate his 90th birthday on Thursday. Mr. Wright is one of our most prominent citizens, and at this age is still what we call an active farmer. His mind is bright and he reads without glasses and can be seen every Sunday morning, regardless of what kind of weather, driving into town to church. He is an Elder in the Second Presbyterian Church, and has been an officer in that church for over fifty years.

In commemoration of the birthday of Elder Wright the ladies of the Second Presbyterian Church will entertain the officers of the church at dinner on Friday, at the residence of Mrs. R. J. Neely's, on Duncan Avenue.

## Real Estate Transactions.

Timothy Galvin sold his six room house and about 4 acres, in the suburbs, to Wm. Linehan, of North Middletown, for \$1,500.

J. W. Lancaster bought a lot on Williams street for \$310.

D. Robinson bought a small strip of ground on Williams street for \$75.

## What It Costs To Run the City.

The City Treasurer's report for the year 1903 shows that there was a cash balance on hand January 1, 1904, of \$3,318.97. We give below the amount of the expenditures for the different departments of the city:

For work on streets, \$11,064.11; street lights, \$7,606.55; fire department, \$3,414.37; police department, \$3,699.96; salaries, \$2,288.91; street machinery, \$4,294.31; water company, \$3,017.

It will be seen that the work on the streets cost the city last year \$11,064.11, and if there is any town in the State that has worse streets at the present time we do not know where it is situated. With the new machinery that cost the city \$4,294.31, it is to be hoped that we will have some respectable streets before another year rolls around.

The Collector paid to the City School Treasurer, \$3,611.87.

The Library Fund shows a balance of cash on hand \$2,488.16, and Bourbon Bank stock \$2,975. These figures, of course, have nothing to do with the gift from Carnegie.

COFFEE.—For the next few days we will have a lady demonstrator with us. Come and try a cup of the best coffee!

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## DEATHS.

—Mr. David J. Hume died at the residence of his son, in this city, Saturday afternoon, from pneumonia. He was born at Clintonville, this county, on October 11, 1824, making him near 80 years of age. He was for years one of the most prominent farmers of Bourbon, and had lived here since his birth. He is survived by three sons—Wm. P., of this city, O. V., of Elizabeth, and D. T. Hume, of Fayette county.

Funeral services were held at the residence of his son, W. P. Hume, on Second street, Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. E. H. Rutherford. The pallbearers were: A. T. Forsyth, John J. McClintock, J. W. Davis, W. H. McMillan, James McClure and J. A. Wilson.

—The three-months-old child of Mr. Wm. Owsley died in this city, Saturday morning, of consumption. Mr. Owsley lost his wife just three months ago, she dying with consumption. The child was buried beside its mother at Ford, Ky.

—At Mt. Sterling, Saturday, William Willoughby, who until the last two years had been a resident of North Middletown, died from pneumonia. He was engaged in the livery business. Burial took place at North Middletown Sunday morning.

—At Danville, Judge Felix G. Fox, one of the most prominent lawyers in the State died at his home Saturday very suddenly after an attack of sciatic rheumatism, which affected his heart. He was sixty-four years of age.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 16th, 17th and 18th, I will have a Special Sale of Novelty Wash Goods—50c quality at 39c per yard.

HARRY SIMON.

## CHURCH CHIMES.

—Rev. U. G. Foote, of Hill-Street M. E. Church, South, Lexington, will preach the sermon before the Bourbon County Bible Society, at its annual meeting in Paris in March.

—Mr. E. T. Porter, the well-known newspaper man, who ill at St. Joseph Hospital, united with the Christian church a few days ago. The ordinance of baptism was administered in a bath tub at the hospital.

—The Rev. Dr. Baker P. Lee, Dean of Christ Church, Lexington, is prominently mentioned as the successor of the late Bishop Thomas U. Dudley.

REMEMBER.—Thos. McClintock's big sale of land, stock of every kind, farming implements, etc., comes off on Wednesday, February 24th, 1904.

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## CUPID'S ARROW.

—On Wednesday, at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. John G. Towles, in this county, Mr. Clarence S. Towles will wed Miss Mary Towles. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. E. H. Rutherford. Miss Towles is a daughter of the late L. S. Towles, who moved from this county to Missouri in 1876. The groom is a prominent attorney of Reading, Va.

THE MCCLINTOCK SALE.—Don't forget the date, Wednesday, February 24, 2004, of the Thomas McClintock sale, on the Millersburg, Indian Creek and Cynthia turnpike, about 3 miles north of Millersburg.

## BIRTHS.

—In this city, on Saturday, to the wife of Mr. John Connell, a son.

CAUGHT.—Yesterday afternoon, E. B. January received a telephone message from Odd Fellows' Home, at Lexington, telling him to be on the lookout for three run-a-way boys. Upon the arrival of the boys, Mr. January took them in charge, and had them returned to the Home on the Interurban. One of the boys was Harold Cobb, of Maysville, a nephew of Mrs. Omar Lytle, of this city. He said he only came down to see his aunt. The other two boys were from Louisville.

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